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Sir:

In response to the NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF
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find an executed Declaration/Power of Attorney form, together with the surcharge fee of
\$130.00. Also enclosed is a copy of the NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF
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The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any
overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1205.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa,
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Re: U.S. Application No. 10/029,267
Your Ref.: 581700US:LDP:MMF
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Dear Mr. Pippard:

Thank you for your February 11, 2002 letter forwarding a Declaration and an Assignment for the above-identified application.

Enclosed are two copies each of a Response To Notice To File Missing Parts Of Application and a Transmittal Of Document For Recordation with which we submitted those papers to the Patent and Trademark Office.

In this regard, enclosed are two copies of a Notice To File Missing Parts Of Nonprovisional Application that we received from the Patent Office shortly after your February 11, 2002 letter. Since we have already responded to the Notice, there is no further action required on your part.

Also enclosed are two copies of an Information Disclosure Statement that we prepared and filed in the Patent and Trademark Office to cite references discussed in the specification of the subject application. We note however, that we have not been able to obtain copies of the article to Eschbach at page 7 and both articles to Hong at page 8 of the specification. Therefore, please provide us with copies of these article so we can forward them to the Examiner.

Mr. Lee Pippard
March 25, 2002
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We will, of course, promptly advise when we receive word of further developments in the application.

Very truly yours,

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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